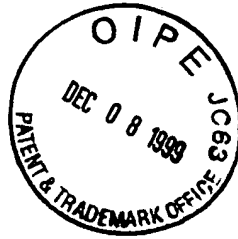


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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 2761

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Kazuo SHIOTA et al.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.116**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: December 8, 1999  
Docket No.: 2091-0145P

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 8, 1999, the period for response having been extended for three (3) months from September 8, 1999 to December 8, 1999 (**the PTO extension of time fee of \$870.00 is submitted with the filing of the Notice of Appeal on even date herewith**) the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	27	-	27	=	0	\$ 18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	9	-	9	=	0	\$ 78	\$0.00
___ FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM						\$260	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

- ☐ Petition for \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$0.00 for the extension of time.
- ☒ No fee is required.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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